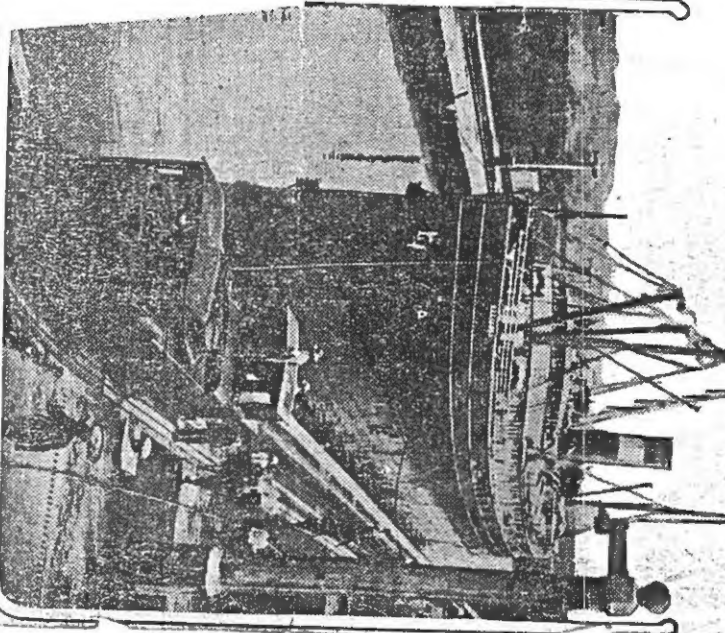


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THE WORLD'S PEOPLE

10 years 1919
Mighty Small Dancer Yet of Over Population.

The question as to the number of human beings that ever lived on this globe is, of course, unanswerable, authorities on this subject differ so widely. Says a writer in the New York Herald, "The Bible places the date of day creation at about 4,000 B. C. and geologists figure anywhere from 10,000 to 100,000 years, and John P. Fiske, one of the most eminent authorities, gives good reasons for supposing human beings to have existed for half a million years. "Now, if we estimate the earth's population at 1,000,000,000—a very generous estimate—what a small number of this population is female. Experience tells us that there are three generations in every century. From these slender data, it is but a simple mathematical calculation in which the first pair of humane beings appeared on earth. Upon this hypothesis the year 6,000 B. C. brings us down to about 3,000,000 people. If we except, and from this point retrace our steps to the present day—say 1900 A. D.—we arrive at the conclusion that a total of 72,000,000,000 human beings have been born to date, of which number about 1,500,000,000 are alive today. Had every individual body been preserved in a market nearly as perfect as the average 623 feet, all could have been buried in Oklahoma's area of 38,700 square miles, and a liberal allowance of space for paths and driveways been left. Or all the coffins could have been dropped into Lake Superior without endangering the inhabitants of its shores on account of a possible tidal wave. The present living population of 1,500,000,000 would then be packed in 7,000,000,000 cubic feet of space in New York harbor. In the state of Texas you could place each man, woman, and child 70 feet apart, giving each 4,900 square feet of land—room sufficient for house, cattle, and vegetable garden. Within the limits of these United States each living human being today could have 68,000 square feet, or they could be packed 25 linear feet apart. "If you take the average of the above, talking 'overpopulation' you can shut him up by telling him that you can pack the whole lot—1,500,000,000 people—in a box measuring 2,000 feet each way."

CONDITIONS OF CAREY ACT.

3/19/40-18-19
Numerous Acres to be Opened to Settlement Under Its Provisions.

As numerous tracts of land in Utah and Idaho will be thrown open this spring to settlement under the Carey act, the following summary of the requirements in acquiring a homestead on such lands will be of interest to many:

If a person has exhausted his right to 160 acres in one state he is not entitled to file on Carey land in another state.

Carey lands are assignable; another person may file on land if he holds proper power of attorney.

A married woman may not file on Carey lands.

Residence must be established within six months after entryman is notified that water is available, and continue to reside in available, and continuous, which must be done within three years from notice that water is available.

Cultivation may be done by an employee of the entryman, annual proofs of said cultivation being required; one-sixteenth of the whole entry to be cultivated the first year, and final proof must show one-eighth of the tract under cultivation.

The cost of a homestead under the Carey act is 50 cents an acre to the state, but to be paid down on application, the cost of half when final proof is made; and the cost of the reservoir and canal, run in building 325 an acre up to \$60 for a period of five years, the company usually the balance divided in ten equal payments, to be paid for in 10 years, all deferred payments drawing 8 per cent interest.

It is required that a house not smaller than 10 by 14 be erected on the land the first year, and not less than 30 days must be residence thereon; six months after, if he wishes to prove up, he can do so by the land and on appearing before the state land agent and proving by two witnesses that he has conformed to the law as above, he will receive a regular homestead patent.

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